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For: PERSON IDENTIFICATION
CERTIFICATE LINK SYSTEM,
INFORMATION PROCESSING
APPARATUS, INFORMATION
PROCESSING METHOD, AND
PROGRAM PROVIDING MEDIUM

) Group Art Unit: 2137

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RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Advisory Action mailed February 15, 2006. Applicants respectfully request amendment of the patent application, and reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims.